

## PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application of Reinhold SCHNEIDER-NIESKENS  
FOR: BREAST PROSTHESIS HAVING AN ADHESIVE LAYER

ENCLOSED ARE:

- [X] Three (3) sheet(s) of formal drawing(s)  
[ ] sheet(s) of informal drawing(s)  
[X] an Assignment of the invention, with required cover sheet, to  
THÄMERT Orthopädische Hilfsmittel GmbH & Co. KG  
[X] Priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 for the following application(s):  
German Application No. 202 15 801.2 filed October 15, 2002  
[X] a certified copy of the aforesaid application is enclosed.  
[ ] a certified copy of the aforesaid application will be submitted in due course.  
[ ] Associate Power of Attorney enclosed.

## CLAIMS AS FILED

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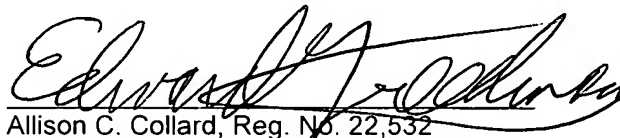
BASIC FEE (\$710)

REDUCED FEE (\$355) [ ] Independent Inventor [x] Small Business Concern \$385.00TOTAL FILING FEE: **\$385.00**

- [X] Applicant claims small entity status  
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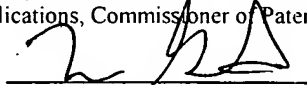
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